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MONTANA SENATE 59th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND IRRIGATION

Call to Order: By CHAIRMAN KEN (KIM) HANSEN, on January 19, 2005 at 3:06 P.M., in Room 422 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Ken (Kim) Hansen, Chairman (D)

Sen. Keith Bales (R)

Sen. John Brueggeman (R)

Sen. Lane L. Larson (D)

Sen. Gerald Pease (D)

Sen. Frank Smith (D)

Sen. Donald J. Steinbeisser (R)

Members Excused:

Sen. Jon Tester (D)

Members Absent:

Sen. Corey Stapleton (R)

Staff Present: Annie Glover, Committee Secretary

Doug Sternberg, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: None.

Executive Action: SB 215; SB 201

00:00:30

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 215

Motion: SEN. LARSON moved that SB 215 DO PASS.

Discussion:

SEN. GERALD PEASE, SD 21, LODGE GRASS entered SEN. JOHN BRUEGGEMAN, SD 6, POLSON entered

<u>Vote</u>: Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

SEN. HANSEN proxied for SEN. TESTER.

00:02:50

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 201

Motion: SEN. SMITH moved that SB 201 DO PASS.

Discussion:

Motion: SEN. SMITH moved that SB 201 BE AMENDED.

Discussion:

Motion: SEN. SMITH moved that SB 201 DO PASS AS AMENDED.

Discussion:

<u>Vote</u>: Motion carried 6-1 by voice vote with BALES voting no.

SEN. HANSEN proxied for SEN. TESTER.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 3:24 P.M.

SEN. KEN (KIM) HANSEN, Chairman

ANNIE GLOVER, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

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